

Examiner-Initiated Interview Summary	Application No. 09/117,447	Applicant(s) LUBITZ ET AL.	
	Examiner N. M. Minnifield	Art Unit 1645	

All Participants:
Status of Application: _____

 (1) N. M. Minnifield.

(3) _____.

 (2) Monica Chin Kitts, 36105.

(4) _____.

Date of Interview: 31 March 2004
Time: _____

Type of Interview:

- ☒ Telephonic
☐ Video Conference
☐ Personal (Copy given to: ☐ Applicant ☐ Applicant's representative)

 Exhibit Shown or Demonstrated: ☐ Yes ☒ No

If Yes, provide a brief description:

Part I.

Rejection(s) discussed:

ODP rejection and 102(b) rejection

Claims discussed:

generally all

Prior art documents discussed:

Kuen et al, 1994 (of record)
Part II.

SUBSTANCE OF INTERVIEW DESCRIBING THE GENERAL NATURE OF WHAT WAS DISCUSSED:

See Continuation Sheet
Part III.

- ☒ It is not necessary for applicant to provide a separate record of the substance of the interview, since the interview directly resulted in the allowance of the application. The examiner will provide a written summary of the substance of the interview in the Notice of Allowability.
☐ It is not necessary for applicant to provide a separate record of the substance of the interview, since the interview did not result in resolution of all issues. A brief summary by the examiner appears in Part II above.



NITA MINNIFIELD
PRIMARY EXAMINER

(Examiner/SPE Signature)

(Applicant/Applicant's Representative Signature – if appropriate)

Continuation of Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was discussed: Examiner indicated that Amendment after final filed 3/4/04 has been entered. Examiner indicated that arguments sufficient to overcome ODP rejection and that amendment of claim 15 as set forth in the attached Examiner's amendment would be sufficient to overcome the 102(b) rejection of claims 15, 62 and 63. Applicant gave approval to amend claim 15 and cancel claim 16. Applicant gave approval to amend claim 60; the claim depended from a canceled claim. Claim 60 amended to depend from claim 59. Claims 17 and 19 amended to remove recitation of claim 16. Claims 1-15, 17, 19, 20, 46, 47 and 58-66 have been allowed and renumbered 1-29 respectively..